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Interview Summary

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Date of Interview: 28 August 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: _____.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

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Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Mr. Shier confirmed that no reply was sent in response to the office action sent out on January 14, 2008 however he could not confirm abandonment. Examiner left a message on August 28, 2008 informing Mr. Shier that the abandonment notification will be sent out since no reply has been sent out and the time has expired for a timely response from Applicant.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Kara R. McMillian/
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